



annual report
of the
sanitary conditions
of the rural district of
vaynor and penderyn
in the county of brecknock
for the year
1959.

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To the Chairman and Members of the
Vaynor and Penderyn Rural
District Council.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present the Annual Report, in the absence of, and on behalf of, the Medical Officer of Health, on the health and sanitary conditions, and the vital statistics relating to the Rural District for the year 1959, in accordance with the Circular issued by the Ministry of Health.

Dr. J. Tate, the Medical Officer of Health, was taken seriously ill in February, 1959; he returned to duty in July, 1959, but suffered a relapse in August, 1959, and from that date, until he retired on the 31st December, 1959, was not able to resume and attend to duties in the Department.

The Council continued with its post-war building programme. The number of post-war houses erected to the end of 1959 was 685; of these 12 were erected during the year. There were no houses under construction at the end of 1959.

The majority of the working population of our area are employed in factories, work-places, coal-mines and distributive trades in adjoining areas. A large number are, however, employed in factories, quarries, forestry and agriculture within our district.

The general health of the district during the year has been good, and there have been no serious outbreaks of notifiable infectious diseases. The majority of deaths during the year were again in the higher age groups

The incidence of pulmonary tuberculosis in the area, has again been low, and infectious cases have been promptly isolated by the chest physicians of the Welsh Regional Hospital Board, usually at the Mardy Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil, and the Cimla Hospital, Neath.

On behalf of the Department, I wish to thank the Members of the Council for their co-operation and consideration in all matters appertaining to the Public Health Department; and also to thank the Officers and Staff of the Council for their help during the year in matters affecting the work carried out in the Department.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

SPENCER P. HARRIS,

Public Health Inspector.



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BOUNDARIES.

PARISH OF VAYNOR - East Side. The Taf Fechan River from its junction with the Taf Fawr River as far as the junction with the Car Brook.

North Side. From the Car Brook to the junction of the Llysiog Brook with the Taf Fawr River.

West Side. The Taf Fawr River from its junction with the Taf Fechan River to the junction of the Llysiog Brook and the Taf Fawr River.

PARISH OF PENDERYN.-- East Side. The Taf Fawr River from the Ffrwd Brook to Nantygorgan.

North Side. From Nantygorgan, where it joins the River Hepste, to the junction of the Rivers Hepste and Mellte, and from the River Mellte to Dinas Rock.

South Side. From Dinas Rock, following Cwmnant Brook to the Cynon River near Lletty Rhys, and the Cynon River as far as the junction of Nant Hir at Cwm Ynys Mwn Tan, and following Nant Hir Brook to Nant Ffrwd Brook to its junction with the Taf Fawr River.

PARISH OF YSTRADFELLTE - North Side. From Carn-yr-Onen to Nant-yr-Eira.

South Side. From Heol-las to Scwd Eira, and along the Afon Mellte to the Bridge at Pontneathvaughan.

East Side. From Nant-yr-Eira to Blaen Hepste and along the River Hepste to Heol-las.

West Side. Afon Nedd at Pontneathvaughan Bridge to Nant-y-Bryn and Nant-y-Bryn to Carn-yr-Onen.

TOPOGRAPHY.

The Rural District comprises the three parishes of Vaynor, Penderyn and Ystradfellte, in the County of Brecon. The Parish of Ystradfellte, which had been administered by the Neath Rural District Council, was added to this Rural Authority by a Review Order of April 1st., 1934.

The three Parishes comprised in this Rural District are of considerable extent. The total area being 39,271 acres, or over 61 square miles, with an average length of 8 miles and a width of about 12 miles. They are situated on the Southern Boundary of the County of Brecon, and adjoin the districts of Neath, Aberdare and Merthyr Tydfil in the County of Glamorgan. They form four valleys in the foothills of the South Escarpment of the Brecknockshire Beacons with high table-lands between.

The PARISH OF VAYNOR comprises two valleys running northwards towards two spurs of the Brecknock Beacons, and the PARISH OF PENDERYNN consists of high table-land adjoining and emerging towards the same mountainous area. These Rural Parishes are only separated by the narrow streams already mentioned, from the County of Glamorgan, and the important populous Urban Districts of Merthyr Tydfil and Aberdare on the South. The PARISH OF YSTRADFELLTE presents similar physical features extending from the rugged Van Mountains to the north, covering a rough, hilly table-land intersected by two very narrow valleys converging towards an apex at Pontneathvaughan.

ELEVATION.

The district, as a whole, is at a great elevation above sea level, varying from 263 feet to no less than 2,250 feet; it will be realised that the nearly 40,000 acres contained in the area includes a considerable amount of sparsely inhabited mountain land. In the Parish of Vaynor, the levels extend from 645 feet near Cefn Bridge to 1,612 feet at Twyn-y-Croes on the mountain above Cwm Glais. Penderynn Parish presents levels varying from 588 feet at Cynon Bridge, Hirwaun, to 1,376 feet at the top of Twyn, Cadlan, while the Parish of Ystradfellte contains such extreme variations of level as 263 feet at the Bridge at Pontneathvaughan, and 2,250 feet near the top of Fan Fawr, which is partly in the Parish.

CLIMATE.

The proximity of the well-known range of mountains known as the Brecknock Beacons, accounts for the rather heavy rainfall that prevails. Some of the largest reservoirs in Wales are partly in the Rural District.

ACREAGE.

Vaynor	...	...	6,549.706	acres.
Penderyn	...	...	13,366.337	"
Ystradfellte	...	...	19,355.	"

39,271. acres.

RATEABLE VALUE as at 30th September, 1959.

	£
Parish of Vaynor	38,069. 0. 0.
Parish of Penderyn	25,409. 0. 0.
Parish of Ystradfellte	8,580. 0. 0.
Public Services	2,548. 0. 0.

£ 74,606. 0. 0.

PRODUCT OF A PENNY RATE.

	£.	s.	d.
Parish of Vaynor	144.	3.	0.
Parish of Penderyn.. ..	97.	10.	1.
Parish of Ystradfellte.. ..	32.	17.	11.
Public Services	11.	11.	8.

£ 286. 2. 8.

POPULATION - CENSUS RETURNS.

Census, 1951.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Vaynor	1,489 ...	1,652 ...	3,141.
Penderyn... ..	963 ...	932 ...	1,895.
Ystradfellte ...	331 ...	285 ...	616.

Total ... 5,652.

Census Returns :

	1901.	1911.	1921.	1931.	1951.
Vaynor & Penderyn.	4,766 ..	5,526 ..	5,674 ..	5,021 ..	5,036.
Ystradfellte ..	-	629 ..	613 ..	650 ..	616.

Estimated population (Registrar General's figures) for mid 1959 was 6,200.

LIVE BIRTHS.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate			60.	45.	105.
Illegitimate.. ..			3.	4.	7.
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TOTALS			<u>63.</u>	<u>49.</u>	<u>112.</u>

STILL BIRTHS.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate			3.	2.	5.
Illegitimate.. ..			-	-	-
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TOTALS			<u>3.</u>	<u>2.</u>	<u>5.</u>

DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER 1 YEAR.

			Male.	Female.	Total.
Legitimate			2.	-	2.
Illegitimate.. ..			-	-	-
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TOTALS			<u>2.</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2.</u>

DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER 4 WEEKS OF AGE.

			Male.	Female.	Total
Legitimate			2.	-	2.
Illegitimate.. ..			-	-	-
			<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
TOTALS			<u>2.</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2.</u>

V I T A L S T A T I S T I C S

BIRTHS. The Births registered in the District in 1959 numbered 112 (male 63 and female 49). The Annual Birth Rate for 1959 was 18.06 per thousand of the population, compared with 18.54 in 1958 and 16.53 in 1957. The Annual Birth Rate for England and Wales for 1959 was 16.5 per thousand of the population compared with 16.4 for 1958 and 16.1 for 1957. Of the total live births in 1959 6.25 per cent were illegitimate.

STILL BIRTHS. Three male and two female still births were registered in the area during the year. The rate per thousand of the population being 0.81 compared with 0.65 for 1958 and 0.335 for 1957. The rate for England and Wales per thousand total live and still births for 1959 was 21.0 compared with a rate of 42.7 per thousand live and still births for this area during 1959 and 33.9 during 1958.

DEATHS. There were 57 deaths assigned to this area during 1959; of these 30 were male and 27 were female. This figure takes into account 22 inward transferable and one outward transferable deaths. The death rate for 1959 was 9.19 per thousand of the population, compared with 10.24 for 1958 and 11.4 for 1957. The death rate for England and Wales for 1959 was 11.6 per thousand of the population, compared with 11.7 for 1958 and 11.5 for 1957.

DEATHS OF INFANTS UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE. Two male infants under the age of one year died in the district during 1959. The causes of deaths were as follows :-

Under one week. (i) 1(a) Prematurity.
(26 weeks pregnancy)

(ii) 1(a) Atelectasis.
(b) Prematurity.

The number of deaths recorded under this heading is one more than last year and the infant mortality rate has risen from 8.77 per thousand live births in 1958 to 17.86 this year; the comparative figure for 1957 was 50.00. The rate for England and Wales during 1959 was 22.2 per thousand live births, compared with 22.6 during 1958.

DEATHS FROM PUERPERAL SEPSIS,
ETC. There were no deaths notified from a puerperal cause during the year.

DEATHS FROM CANCER. The number of deaths from all forms of cancer decreased from 11 last year to 8 in 1959. Of these 8 deaths, 6 were male and 2 were female. The percentage of total deaths being 14.03 compared with 17.46 for 1958 and 17.39 for 1957. There were no recorded deaths as the result of carcinoma of the lung during the year.

DEATHS FROM TUBERCULOSIS. There were no deaths from this disease during the year, neither were there any recorded deaths under this heading last year.

DEATHS FROM HEART AND ARTERIAL DISEASES. There were 26 deaths under this heading notified during the year. Of these deaths 12 were male and 14 female. These deaths accounted for 45.61 per cent of the total deaths during 1959, compared with 50.79 for 1958 and 42.03 per cent for 1957.

DEATHS FROM BRONCHITIS. One male death was recorded during the year under this heading. The percentage of total deaths being 1.75 compared with 6.35 per cent for 1958 and 8.7 for 1957.

HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE AREA.

AMBULANCE FACILITIES. The Brecon County Council administer the ambulance services of the area under the National Health Act, 1946. The Health Department of the County Council have made arrangements with neighbouring authorities to provide ambulance facilities for our area as follows :-

Parish of Vaynor - County Borough of Merthyr Tydfil.

Hirwaun, Penderyn,
Ystradfellte and - Glamorgan County Council.
Pontneathvaughan.

Infectious disease cases in our area utilise the services of the Mardy Isolation Hospital, Merthyr Tydfil and the Cimla Hospital, Neath.

NURSING AT HOME. This work, which was undertaken by Voluntary Nursing Associations until 5th July, 1948, is now carried out by the County Council.

CLINICS. Clinics are still administered by the County Council, and clinics for expectant mothers and Infant Welfare are held at Cefn Coed and Hirwaun.

HOSPITALS. There are no hospitals in the Council's area, but we are fortunate in having hospital facilities in the adjoining urban areas of Merthyr Tydfil, Aberdare and Neath.

LABORATORY SERVICES. Arrangements have been made for the services of the Public Health Laboratories of the Institute of Preventative Medicine, The Parade, Cardiff, to be utilised for all chemical and bacteriological analyses and examinations required by this Authority.

WATER SUPPLY. The district, which has several supplies of piped water, has, on the whole, been satisfactorily supplied with water. Cefn Coed, in the Vaynor Parish, is supplied from the mains of the Taf Fechan Water Supply Board, as is the greater part of the Vaynor Parish.

In the Parish of Penderyn, Hirwaun is supplied by the mains of the Aberdare Urban District Council. At Penderyn, the water is pumped from the Cadlan and Ogof Fawr regions. This supply is chlorinated at the Cadlan Pump-house by means of a semi automatic apparatus installed in 1944.

During the year 1951, an alternative supply from the Llygad Cynon Borehole was connected up to the existing mains at Penderyn, thus ensuring a clean and wholesome supply of water during periods of drought.

Pontneathvaughan, in the Parish of Ystradfellte, is supplied by the mains of the Neath Rural District Council. Unfortunately, however, the upper portion of the Parish, which includes the small hamlet of Ystradfellte, a school and some 45 scattered farms, has no main piped water supply. A scheme has been prepared to provide subsidiary mains connected to the existing Neath Rural District Council's mains, which will provide a suitable and satisfactory supply to the farms and houses in the Ystradfellte area. An extension of the Neath mains will also provide a supply to the Colbren district of our area.

It is essential that a piped supply be brought into these areas to ensure that a wholesome supply of water be available to milk producing farms, as well as to the farm houses and cottages.

During the year samples of water were taken for bacteriological and chemical examination from Council mains and also from farms.

DRAINAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS. The Council has provided efficient drainage and sewage disposal works for the whole of the area with the exception of the small hamlet of Ystradfellte. The disposal of sewage from the Hirwaun district is undertaken by the Aberdare U.D.C. under a joint scheme. Five other separate systems of sewage disposal are operated by this Council throughout the area.

REFUSE COLLECTION. Refuse is collected in the Cefn Coed, Hirwaun, Trefechan, Penderyn and Pontneathvaughan districts three times a week; twice a week at Pontsticill; and once a week at Ystradfellte.

REFUSE DISPOSAL. Refuse

collected in the Vaynor Parish is mainly deposited at Godre'r Coed, Cefn Coed, although some is deposited at Pontsticill. Refuse from the Penderyn Parish is deposited at Trebanog, Penderyn, whilst collections of refuse from the Ystradfellte Parish continues to be tipped at Dinas Bank, Pontneathvaughan.

Care is taken to ensure that the refuse deposited at these tips does not become a breeding ground for vermin. These tips are regularly visited and baited when necessary.

SLAUGHTER-HOUSES. There are no slaughter-houses in the Council's area. All meat for human consumption in this area is supplied from slaughter houses in adjoining areas.

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1938. A close inspection is made of meat and other foods sold in retail establishments throughout the area. Two hundred and twenty visits were made to butcher shops, food retailers, fried fish shops, ice cream premises, cafes and public houses during the year.

Bye-laws under Section 15 of this Act have been adopted and brought into operation by this Council.

Condemnation certificates are issued in respect of foodstuffs condemned in our area, in accordance with the various Food Regulations issued by the Ministries concerned. The following articles of food were condemned during the year, as being unfit for human consumption :-

Beef	56. lb.	Salmon .. (tinned) ..	7¾. oz.
Gammon	12¼. lb.	Prawns .. " ..	9¾. oz.
Cooked Ham (tinned) ..	43½. lb.	Irish stew " ..	5. lb.
Ox Tongue " ..	1½. lb.	Tomatoes " ..	24¼. lb.
Corned Beef " ..	1½. lb.	Pineapples " ..	5¼. lb.
- do - " ..	1 tin.	Pears .. " ..	5½. lb.
Cooked Meat " ..	1¼. lb.	Fruit cocktail " ..	7¼. lb.
	Ground Almonds ..	1½. lb.	

LICENSED PREMISES. Visits have been paid to all the licensed premises in our area, and it is pleasing to note that improvements continue being made to raise the standard of these premises in every possible manner.

Every house is endeavouring to utilise the provision of proper facilities for cleansing glasses and utensils, and serving refreshments in an hygienic manner.

The sanitary accommodation of these premises has been improved, and the owners of these premises are always willing to co-operate in providing amenities and alterations.

FARMS, DAIRIES AND COWSHEDS. Since the 1st October, 1949, the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Fisheries, has been responsible for farms, dairies and cowsheds, under the Milk & Dairies Regulations, 1949. The Local Authority, therefore, have no control over the inspection of these premises other than under the Infectious Diseases Regulations and the Tuberculosis Acts. The Local Authority is however, responsible for dealing with the water supply to these farms and, in this connection, the County Agricultural Executive Committee has co-operated in endeavouring to supply a piped water supply to the farms. The Local Authority is now also responsible for the carrying out of the requirements of the Prevention of Damage by Pests Act, 1949, which was formerly carried out by the County Agricultural Executive Committee.

MILK SAMPLING. The milk produced in the area is mainly collected and transported to milk factories where it is pasteurised. This milk is tested and examined on arrival at the factories by the laboratories attached.

During the year samples of milk were taken from retailers and producers for bacteriological examination and keeping qualities.

PREVENTION OF DAMAGE BY PESTS ACT, 1949. Under this Act, the Local Authority is responsible for the survey of the whole area in relation to infestation by rats and mice.

The work of surveying and inspecting the district has been carried out, under the supervision and direction of the Public Health Inspector. A full-time Rodent Operator is employed in the Public Health Department, and he is, at certain times of the year, assisted by temporary employees.

The sewer systems in the Local Authority's area have, in accordance with the provisions made by the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, been treated twice during the year. These maintenance treatments have been carried out in conjunction with surface properties.

This area, being of a rural character, has necessitated a close watch being kept on the infestation of river banks and culverts near villages. The refuse tips in the area have been dealt with at regular intervals and are inspected weekly to prevent any infestation occurring or remaining on these lands. This work, on refuse tips, is also maintained in the region of the Sewage Disposal Works, where no major infestations have been found during the past year.

During the year, special attention has been paid to premises where food is stored or prepared for human consumption. These premises are visited regularly, and it is pleasing to note that few complaints are received, or evidence found, of infestation in such premises. The occupiers of these premises are aware of the damage likely to be caused by rodent infestation and have taken great care to keep their premises in a satisfactory manner.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES IN 1959.

	Total cases Notified.	Deaths.
Acute Primary Pneumonia.	1.	-
Salmonella pos.(Thompson).	1.	-
Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	1.	-
Whooping Cough.	1.	-
Puerperal Pyrexia.	1.	-
Dysentery.	2.	-
Scarlet Fever.	19.	-
Measles.	25.	-

TUBERCULOSIS.

New Cases and Mortality During 1959.

		New Cases.				Deaths.			
Ages.		Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.		Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.	
YEARS.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
0 - 5.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6 - 15.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16 - 25.		-	-	-	1.	-	-	-	-
26 - 35.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36 - 45.		1.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46 - 65.		1.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Over 65.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS.		2.	-	-	1.	-	-	-	-

The total number of tuberculosis cases remaining on the Register at the 31st December, 1959, was 59, compared with 61 at the end of 1958. This figure is made up as follows :-

Pulmonary.		Non-Pulmonary.	
M.	F.	M.	F.
23.	27.	3.	6.

FACTORIES ACTS, 1937 to 1959.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH IN
RESPECT OF THE YEAR 1959, FOR THE RURAL DISTRICT
OF VAYNOR AND PENDERYN IN THE COUNTY OF BRECKNOCK.

Prescribed Particulars on the Administration of the Factories
Act, 1937.

Part I of the Act.

1. INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health
(including inspections made by Public Health Inspectors).

Premises.	No. on Register.	Number of		
		Inspection.	Written Notices.	Occupiers prosecuted.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
(i) Factories in which Secs.1,2, 3, 4 & 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities.	8.	22.	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.	3.	8.	-	-
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out- workers premises).	4.	7.	-	-
TOTAL	15.	37.	-	-

2. CASES IN WHICH DEFECTS WERE FOUND.

(If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three or more separate occasions they should be reckoned as two, three or more "cases").

Particulars.	<u>No. of cases in which defects were found.</u>		<u>No. of Cases</u>		<u>in which Prosecutions were instituted.</u>
	Found.	Remedied.	<u>Referred</u>		
			<u>To H.M. Inspector.</u>	<u>By H.M. Inspector.</u>	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Want of Cleanliness. (S.1)	-	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2).	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable temperature (S.3).	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate Ventilation (S.4).	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate Drainage of floors(S.6).	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7).					
(a) insufficient	-	-	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective.	-	-	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes.	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Out-work).	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL ..	-	-	-	-	-

PART VIII OF THE ACT.

OUTWORK.

(Sections 110 and 111)

There are no Outworkers in the area.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITUREP A R T II N C O M E.

BALANCE brought forward from 31st March, 1958 £ 29,750. 0. 3½.

RATE INCOME

General Expenses chargeable on Whole District,
including Additional Items of General Rates 84,906. 9. 9.
Water Rates & Charges (Penderyn) 458. 0. 0.
- do - (Ystradfellte) 6. 0.

MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Local Government Act, 1948 - Grant 981. 0. 0.
Tithe Act Grant 203. 0. 5.
Housing Act, 1949 - Improvement Grants (as amended) 376.11. 2.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR.

Penderyn Waterworks - Grant 97.12. 8.

BRECON COUNTY COUNCIL.

Salaries of Medical Officer of Health and
Public Health Inspector - Grant 1,018.17. 3.
Local Government Act, 194 - Capitation Grant 3,942. 0. 0.
Notification of Infectious Diseases 2. 9. 6.
COLLECTION OF REFUSE. 32.18.11.
PUBLIC CONVENIENCES 11.16. 8.

OTHER INCOME.

Cefn Coed Sewage Works 8. 6.
Penderyn Sewage Works 26. 7. 0.
Public Lighting - Vaynor 9. 9. 0.
Children's Playing Field, Cefn Coed... .. 18. 0.
Establishment Charges 139.13. 0.
Bus Shelter, Penderyn 1. 1. 7.
Yards, Sheds, Garage and Stores.. .. 11. 0. 0.
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts 1.17. 2.
Assisted Car Purchase Scheme 2. 4. 0.
Searches &c - Local Land Charges Registry.. .. 25. 0. 0.
Petrol &c. Licences 5.10. 0.
Rent Act, 1957 - Certs of Disrepair and Forms &c. 14. 5.
Small Lotteries & Gaming Act, 1956 5. 0. 0.
Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1953
- Renewals and Repairs Fund 35. 9. 2.
Bank Interest 611.19. 7.
Ratepayers Costs.. .. 12. 0.

FORWARD £.122,658. 6. 0½.

DISTRICT COUNCIL.

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1959.

P A R T I.

E X P E N D I T U R E .

DUE UNDER PRECEPTS.

Brecon County Council	.. .. .	..	49,998. 8. 0.
Parish Councils - Vaynor	100. 0. 0.		
- do - - Penderyn..	50. 0. 0.		
- do - - Ystradfellte ..	65.18. 4.		215.18. 4.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS.

Cefn Coed	- Working Expenses	.. .. .	..	1,520. 7. 0.
Cefn Coed Sewers Ext.	- Loan & Interest	.. .. .	..	92.11.10.
Pontsticill	- Working Expenses.	716. 1. 6.		
- do -	- Loan & Interest.	89.13. 8.	..	805.15. 2.
Hirwaun.	-Working Expenses	1,129.14. 4.		
- do - (Hsg).	- Loan & Interest	56. 9. 9.	..	1,186. 4. 1.
Penderyn.	- Working Expenses	881. 7. 8.		
- do -	- Loan & Interest	160. 3. 5.		
- do -	- Cap. Account (Part II)	17. 5. 1.	..	1,058.16. 2.
Pontneathvaughan	- Working Expenses	694.12. 8.		
- do -	- Loan & Interest.	149.15.10.	..	844. 8. 6.

WATERWORKS.

Penderyn	- Working Expenses	1,557.13. 0.		
- do -	- Cap. Account (Part II).	62.14. 0.		
- do -	- Loan & Interest	350. 3. 2.	..	1,970.10. 2.
Ystradfellte	- Working Expenses	.. .. .	..	3. 0. 0.
Hirwaun Water Supply	- Guarantee	13. 4. 6.

COLLECTION OF REFUSE.

Throughout District	6,075.19. 8.
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<u>PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.</u>	100. 9. 4.
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<u>PUBLIC LIGHTING.</u>	- Vaynor ..	2,114.11. 7.		
	- Penderyn ..	922.15. 5.		
	- Ystradfellte..	139. 3. 0.	..	3,176.10. 0.

YARDS, SHEDS, GARAGE & STORES.

Working Expenses	.. .. .	..	14.11. 4.	
Loans & Interest	.. .. .	..	7.18. 2.	.. 22. 9. 6.

PLAYING FIELD, CEFN COED.

Working Expenses	.. .. .	..	11. 6.11.	
Loan & Interest	100.10. 8.	.. 111.17. 7.

FORWARD £ 67,196. 9.10.

P A R T I

I N C O M E (CONTINUED)

FORWARD £ 122,658. 6. 0½.

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CONTINUED.

EXPENDITURE (CONTINUED).

FORWARD	£ 67,196. 9.10.
<u>PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES.</u>				
Salaries of Officers &c...	..	..	7,044.12. 3.	
Returns of Births & Deaths	..	..	1.15. 0.	
Disinfectants	..	..	19.13. 0.	
Notifications of Infectious Diseases			1.13. 6.	.. 7,067.13. 9.
<u>RODENT CONTROL</u>	..	..	..	385.18. 5.
<u>HOUSING.</u>				
Deficit - Housing Revenue Account	..	..	..	8,298.11. 9.
<u>HOUSING ACT, 1949 - IMPROVEMENT GRANTS.</u>	(as amended)	..	435.14. 4.	
<u>FINANCIAL ADJUSTMENT.</u>				
Ystradfellte Parish - Loan and Interest	..	..	..	438.19. 8.
<u>COST OF COLLECTION OF RATES</u> - General Rate.	..	..	..	2,067. 0.10.
<u>ESTABLISHMENT CHARGES.</u>	..	..	..	2,029. 8.10½.
<u>OTHER EXPENSES.</u>				
Small Dwellings Acquisition Acts	..	..	..	1.13. 2.
Election Expenses	..	..	..	122.11. 1.
Physical Training & Recreation Act, 1937	..	..	..	100. 0. 0.
National Assistance Act, 1948..	..	..	..	15.15. 0.
Legal Expenses	..	..	..	1. 1. 0.
Roadside Seats	..	..	..	207. 6. 6.
Bus Shelters - Pontsticill, Maescynon, Hirwaun, Pontsarn				
- do - - Penderyn	..	..	..	117. 0. 7.
Travelling, Subsistence & Financial Loss Allowances	..			380.12.10.
Chairman's Allowance	..	..	..	100. 0. 0.
Brecon County Council - Superannuation Fund	..	..	..	1,101. 4. 6.
Bank Charges	..	..	..	3. 9. 9.
Assisted Car Purchase Scheme	..	..	..	2.17.10.
National Insurances	..	..	..	430. 6. 7.
Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1953 -				
Renewals and Repairs Fund (PART II)	..	..	..	235. 9. 2.
<u>MISCELLANEOUS...</u>	..	..	..	188. 3. 2.
<u>BALANCE</u> carried forward	..	..	..	31,730.17. 5.

£ 122,658. 6. 0½.

LOAN, CAPITAL ANDI N C O M E.BALANCES brought forward :-

Sewerage and Sewage Disposal	.. ..	105. 0. 0.	
Playing Field, Cefn Coed	.. ..	129.11.10.	
Housing Act, 1949 - Improvement Grants		444. 6. 6.	
Asstd. Car Purchase Scheme..	.. ..	4. 1. 7.	
Local Govt. (Miscellaneous Provisions)			
Act, 1953.		<u>1,009.18. 2.</u>	.. 1,692.18. 1.

SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION.

Repayment of Advances 17. 6. 8.
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LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT, 1953.

Renewals and Repairs Fund (PART I) 235. 9. 2.
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HOUSING (FINANCIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, 1958.

Loans raised &c22,796.16. 0.	
Revenue & Special Accounts..	<u>7,318. 4. 9.</u>	.. 30,115. 0. 9.

SEWERAGE & SEWAGE DISPOSAL.

Revenue Account (PART I) 17. 5. 1.
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WATER SUPPLY.

Revenue Account (PART I) 62.14. 0.
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ASSISTED CAR PURCHASE SCHEME.

Repayment of Advance 62.10. 0.
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BALANCES carried forward:-

Sewerage & Sewage Disposal	288. 7. 6.	
Housing Act, 1949 - Improvement Grants (as amended)	749.13. 0.	
Small Dwellings Acquisition	.. ..	4. 6. 8.	
Housing (Financial Provisions)			
Act, 1958	.. ..	<u>8,321. 1. 5.</u>	.. 9,363. 8. 7.

£ 41,566.12. 4.

AUDITED AND FOUND CORRECT.

(SIGNED) A. J. HUMBER,

Assistant District Auditor.

23rd September, 1960.

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.

E X P E N D I T U R E.

BALANCES brought forward :-

Sewerage & Sewage Disposal	..	..	288.	7.	6.		
Small Dwellings Acquisition	..	..	4.	6.	8.		
Housing Acts, 1936 - 1957.	<u>12,195.</u>	<u>18.</u>	<u>0.</u>	..	12,488.12. 2.

<u>SMALL DWELLINGS ACQUISITION.</u>	17. 6. 8.
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<u>HOUSING ACT, 1949 - IMPROVEMENT GRANTS (as amended)</u>	..						1,193.19. 6.
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<u>LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT, 1953.</u>	..						1. 2. 0.
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HOUSING (FINANCIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, 1958.

Expenditure on Works &c	20,795.	6.	3.	
Revenue & Special Accounts	<u>5,444.</u>	<u>17.</u>	<u>11.</u>	.. 26,240. 4. 2.

SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL.

Expended on Works &c. 17. 5. 1.
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WATER SUPPLY.

Expended on Works &c. 62.14. 0.
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ASSISTED CAR PURCHASE SCHEME.

 64.12.8.
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BALANCES carried forward :-

Sewerage & Sewage Disposal	105.	0.	0.		
Playing Field, Cefn Coed	129.	11.	10.		
Assisted Car Purchase Scheme	..	..	1.	18.	11.		
Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1953.	..	..	<u>1,244.</u>	<u>5.</u>	<u>4.</u>	..	1,480.16. 1.

£ 41,566.12. 4.

(Signed) RONALD H. ROSE,

Chief Financial Officer.

1st April, 1959.

